

Warrick County Ordinance #2012- 28

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
OF WARRICK COUNTY AMENDING SECTION 132
OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES**

WHEREAS, Chapter 132 entitled "Health and Safety" of the Code of Ordinances currently sets forth certain fees the Warrick County Department of Health can charge for the various services they provide to members of the community.

WHEREAS, Chapter 132 does not set forth authorized charges for pregnancy testing and in light of the expense involved, a fee should be established; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 132.04 sets forth a fee of \$1.00 and given the nature of the service and the costs associated therewith, an increase of said fee is needed.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
WARRICK COUNTY, INDIANA, AS FOLLOWS:**

1. Chapter 132 of the Warrick County, Indiana Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by the creation and addition of Section 132.07 "Fee for Pregnancy Testing" and shall read as follows:

"§ 132.07 FEE FOR PREGNANCY TESTING.

- (A) There shall be a fee charged and collected for the service of pregnancy testing provided by the County Department of Health and Animal Control (hereinafter "Department") as set out in division (B) unless the fee is waived under division (C).
- (B) The fee for pregnancy testing shall be the actual cost of the testing plus a \$1.00 testing fee.
- (C) The Department may waive the fee imposed herein:
 - (1) For those persons who have no private or public insurance program available which will pay the fee on their, or their dependent's behalf; and
 - (2) Where such person has demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Department, pursuant to standards adopted by the Department, that the person does not have the ability to pay the fee for the person or a dependent.
- (D) The fee imposed by division (B) of this Section shall be deposited in the Health Fund to be used for the purposes for which the fund was created and exists."

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2. Chapter 132.04 of the Warrick County, Indiana Code of Ordinances is hereby amended and shall read as follows:

“§ 132.04 FEE FOR VACCINE ADMINISTRATION.

- (A) There shall be a fee charged and collected for the service of vaccine administration provided by the County Department of Health and Animal Control (hereinafter “Department”) as set out in division (B) unless the fee is waived under division (C).
 (B) The fee for vaccine administration shall be Five Dollars (\$5.00) per individual vaccinated.
 (C) The Department may waive the fee imposed herein:
 (1) For those persons who have no private or public insurance program available which will pay the fee on their, or their dependent’s behalf; and
 (2) Where such person has demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Department, that the person does not have the ability to pay the fee for the person or dependent.
 (D) The fee imposed by division (B) of this Section shall be deposited in the Health Fund to be used for the purposes for which the fund was created and exists.”

3. This ordinance, amending the Code of Ordinances of Warrick County, Indiana, will become effective on the 1st day of October, 2012.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF WARRICK COUNTY, STATE OF INDIANA THIS 27TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2012. (FIRST READING)
10TH “ “ SEPTEMBER, 2012 (2ND & 3RD READINGS)
 BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
 WARRICK COUNTY, INDIANA

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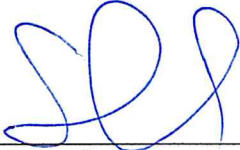
ATTEST:

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 L.B. Dugan, Auditor

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